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Applicant(s): Zambrowicz & Sands Group Art Unit: 1635
Application No.: 09/930,877 Examiner: B. Whiteman
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Title: Arrayed Collection of Genomic Clones

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION AND ELECTION
REQUIREMENTS DATED FEBRUARY 24, 2003**

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Commissioner for Patents
Arlington, VA 22202

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The Examiner is respectfully requested to enter the following amendments. A response to the Restriction and Election Requirement dated February 24, 2003 (Paper No. 8, hereafter "the Requirement") is also included herewith, and the Examiner is respectfully requested to consider the remarks therein.

A Petition for an Extension of Time of one month to and including April 24, 2003 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.7, and authorization to deduct the fee as required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1) from Applicant's Deposit Account are included. Applicants believe no fee in addition to the fee for the extension of time is due in connection with this response. However, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0892.

AMENDMENT

In the claims:

Please cancel claims 1-4, entirely without prejudice and without disclaimer, as drawn to non-elected inventions.

Please amend claim 5 so that the text of the amended claim reads as follows:

5. (Amended) A process of generating a gene targeted animal or cell using a clone obtained

